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**MARCH 2006 PASSENGER STATISTICS**

### **TOTAL PASSENGERS**

The total passenger count for Fresno Yosemite International Airport in March was 93,806. While passenger numbers remain stagnant, this reflects a less than one percent decrease over March 2005, and a 14.9% increase over the previous month, February 2006.

### **AIRLINE LOAD FACTORS**

The average load factors for the month of March for all airlines totaled 64.8%. This is a slight improvement over February load factors of 62.5%. Allegiant led carriers with 80.4% load factor for March, followed by American Airlines 72.4% and Delta Connection 72.3%. Frontier Airlines, United Express, America West/Mesa, American Eagle and Horizon Air completed the month with steady load factors, 66.5%, 64.3%, 62.6%, 59.8% and 55% respectively.

### **AIRLINE MARKET SHARE**

United Express carried 33.2% of all scheduled passengers at Fresno Yosemite International Airport followed by America West/Mesa 20.2% and American Airlines with 12.4%.

### **TOTAL CARGO**

Total pounds moving through FYIA in March was 1,888,019; an 11.78% increase over February 2006. The bulk of cargo was carried by Federal Express, transporting 43.8% of market share; followed by UPS with 42.7% of the market share, and Ameriflight with 9.8% of market share.